

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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Attorney Ref. No.: 003-065

For: VORTEX GENERATOR WITH  
CONTROLLED WAKE FLOW

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop Patent Application**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to taking up this new patent application for action on the merits, please  
amend the application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

*Kindly rewrite Claims 1-15 and add Claims 16 and 17 as follows, in accordance  
with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, as modified by Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted,  
1267 OG 106 (Feb. 25, 2003):*